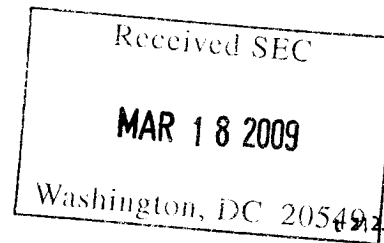




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Dear Ms. Smith:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, BP Capital Markets p.l.c., 3.125% Guaranteed Notes due 2012, 3.875% Guaranteed Notes due 2015, 4.750% Guaranteed Notes due 2019 and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on March 9, 2009. Tentative listing date – March 20, 2009.

Sincerely,